Satellite Radio is under attack by legacy broadcasters. In an effort to protect their interests, traditional broadcaster are moving quickly and aggressively to stifle this emerging technology. Yet satellite radio delivers great value to world consumers and is an emerging technology that is sure to benefit all of broadcasting. As such, it should be allowed to compete free from restrictions designed to protect a sector that has stood still in time.

New and promising technologies like satellite radio hold great promise for American consumers and consumers the world over.

The Internet succeeded because it was allowed to flourish in a free market economy without encumbrances, and today it stands as a shinning example of free enterprise and what can happen when emerging technologies are left to their own devices. The same potential exists in satellite radio broadcasting; however, it needs the same chance that the Internet had.

Sincerely,

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